

April 12, 2022

1. Hello is this a grant for transitional housing. I have a nonprofit organization and I am trying to open a transitional home with or without using the nonprofit?

This request for information is to gather information on strategies that expand and improve safe, affordable and appropriate housing for Oklahomans experiencing mental health conditions and/or substance abuse disorders. While not limited to transitional housing models, both supervised and supported transitional living programs are examples of potential housing strategies that could be used in submissions. For more information on these and other potential models please visit <https://oklahoma.gov/odmhsas/recovery/housing.html>

April 18, 2022

1. Good day and thank you for contacting us. I am seeking clarification on all questions in your RFI. We are not fully launched yet and we do our best to obtain all information from housing solutions-AWH4T. We have the service standards. I can respond with RFI but will need more time for medical reasons. Besides shelter stays and certified case management, we will be sourcing out services to more qualified entities like FC&S in referrals. Can you please clarify your questions?

We are not able to extend the deadline for the request for information. If proposing a partnership approach, please follow the instructions identified in Section D5 by identifying who would be providing which services and any current or anticipated MOUs or letters of agreement.

2. I was wondering if I could get some clarification on #6 - cost information. Are you asking for our current cost for our housing program or a projected cost of the housing proposal?

Cost information is asking for what the proposed annual budget is for the housing program you are proposing in this request for information. Please include justifications, required ongoing costs, and any potential third-party revenue (additional revenue streams) sources.

April 22, 2022

1. Would you be willing to elaborate on eligible expenses? Is funding available for acquisition, capital improvements, services, etc.?

As this is a request for information, eligible expenses are not defined. However, you should demonstrate that the proposed program is cost effective and will not duplicate services. Please include justifications, required ongoing costs, and any potential third-party revenue (additional revenue streams) sources.

2. Is this for funding a new home? If so, what are any stipulations? Faith based groups ok? What areas are you looking to cover? Any additional information is appreciated

This request for information is to gather information on strategies that expand and improve safe, affordable and appropriate housing for Oklahomans experiencing mental health conditions and/or substance abuse disorders. Housing options must be evidence-based and new programs are encouraged to submit information. We encourage our partners from faith-based organizations, non-profits, and other community based organizations from across Oklahoma to submit information.